

# Weekly Coal Production



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## Highlights

Production of bituminous coal and lignite in the week ended March 31, 1984, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 18,745,000 short tons. This was an increase of 598,000 short tons, or 3.3 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1983 was 13,365,000 short tons. Bituminous coal and lignite production from January 1 through March 31, 1984, totaled 223,057,000 short tons, 16.4 percent above production in the same period of 1983. Bituminous coal and lignite production in March 1984, totaled 80,993,000 short tons, an increase of 17.3 percent over production of 69,069,000 short tons in March 1983.

Production of Pennsylvania anthracite in the week ended March 31, 1984, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, was 94,000 short tons, an increase of 3,000 short tons or 3.3 percent from production in the previous week. Production in the corresponding week of 1983 was 66,000 short tons. Anthracite production from January 1 through March 31, 1984, totaled 1,118,000 short tons, 33.7 percent above production for the same period of 1983.

Figure 1. Production of  
Bituminous Coal and  
Lignite, 1984  
(Million Short Tons)

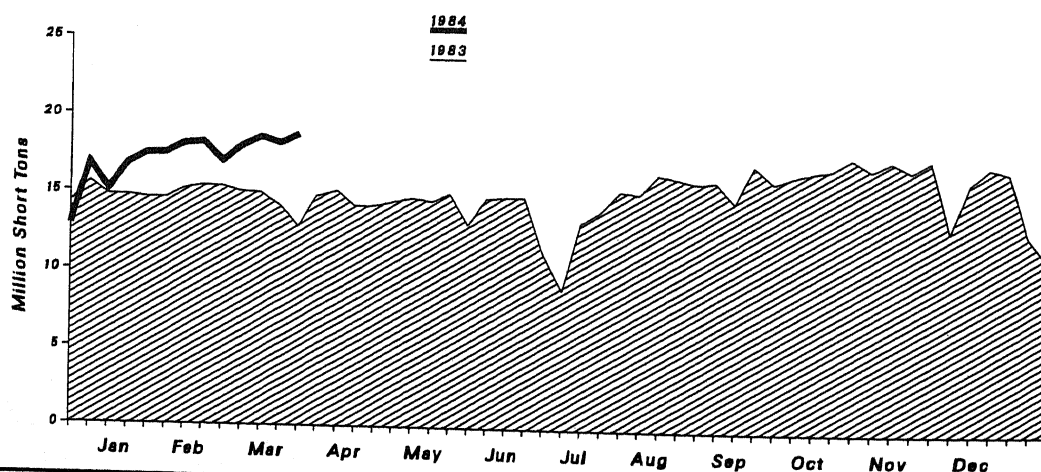


Table 1. Production of  
Bituminous Coal and  
Lignite  
(Thousand Short Tons)

	Week Ending			Year to Date		
	3/31/84 <sup>a</sup>	3/24/84 <sup>a</sup>	4/2/83 <sup>a</sup>	3/31/84 <sup>a</sup>	4/2/83 <sup>a</sup>	Percent Change
Total Production .....	18,745	18,147	13,365	223,057	191,634	+16.4
Railroad Carloadings .....	120,971	117,883	85,800	1,442,030	1,261,121	

<sup>a</sup>Preliminary.

Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads.

Table 2. Production of Bituminous Coal and Lignite, by State (Thousand Short Tons)

State	Week Ending		
	March 31, 1984 <sup>a</sup>	March 24, 1984 <sup>a</sup>	April 2, 1983 <sup>a</sup>
Alabama .....	566	550	396
Alaska .....	22	21	15
Arizona .....	262	175	176
Arkansas .....	4	4	4
Colorado .....	391	350	302
Georgia .....	6	5	-
Illinois .....	1,279	1,238	1,022
Indiana .....	738	721	540
Iowa .....	11	10	6
Kansas .....	17	17	13
Kentucky .....			
Eastern .....	2,498	2,499	1,698
Western .....	811	813	652
Total .....	3,309	3,312	2,350
Maryland .....	98	103	31
Missouri .....	110	110	74
Montana .....	658	619	447
New Mexico .....	655	458	344
North Dakota .....	420	394	307
Ohio .....	872	880	590
Oklahoma .....	115	108	83
Pennsylvania .....	1,288	1,314	1,098
Tennessee .....	156	150	121
Texas .....	910	885	636
Utah .....	364	343	232
Virginia .....	764	774	579
Washington .....	97	94	71
West Virginia .....	3,087	3,052	1,957
Wyoming .....	2,546	2,460	1,971
Total .....	18,745	18,147	13,365

<sup>a</sup>Preliminary.  
Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads, and selected State agencies.

Figure 2. Production of Pennsylvania Anthracite, 1984 (Thousand Short Tons)

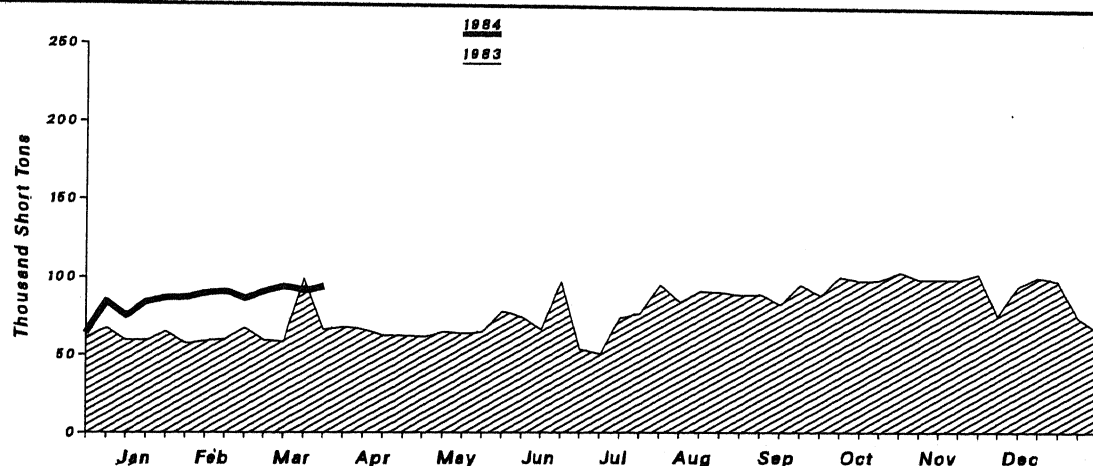


Table 3. Production of Anthracite (Thousand Short Tons)

	Week Ending			Year to Date		Percent Change
	3/31/84 <sup>a</sup>	3/24/84 <sup>a</sup>	4/2/83 <sup>a</sup>	3/31/84 <sup>a</sup>	4/2/83 <sup>a</sup>	
Total Production .....	94	91	66	1,118	836	+33.7
Railroad Carloadings .....	200	117	160	1,170	1,174	

<sup>a</sup>Preliminary.  
Source: Weekly carloading reports, Car Service Division, Association of American Railroads.

*Weekly Coal Production* provides timely information on coal: current statistics on the production of anthracite, bituminous coal, and lignite are provided each week; monthly and annual statistics on coal consumption, production, stocks, imports, and exports, and related supply and demand data are provided as they become available.

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